

**PUBLIC SERVICE TRAINING**  
**WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
**EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER – INITIAL**  
**COURSE OUTLINE**

Date	Topic	Hours	AAOS EMR Book Section & Chapters Emergency Medical Responder 7 <sup>th</sup> Ed.	Other EMT Book Section & Chapters
	Registration/ Course Overview	1		
	<b>Module 1: Preparatory</b>			
	EMS Systems	0.75	Section 1/Chapter 1	
	Workforce, Safety, and Wellness	0.75	Section 1/Chapter 2	
	Lifting and Moving Patients	1	Section 1/Chapter 3	
	Medical, Legal, and Ethical Issues	0.5	Section 1/Chapter 4	
	Communication and Documentation	1.0	Section 1/Chapter 5	
	The Human Body	2.0	Section 1/Chapter 6	
	Practical Skills Lab: Lifting/Moving Patient	1.5		
	<b>Module 2: Airway</b>			
	Airway Management	3.0	Section 2/Chapter 7	
	Practical Skills Lab: Airway	3.0		
	CPR/AED ( Healthcare Provider or equivalent)	4.0	Section 2/Chapter 8	
	Practical Skills Lab: CPR/AED	2.0		
	<b>Module 3: Patient Assessment</b>	3.0	Section 3/Chapter 9	
	Practical Skills Lab: Patient Assessment	3.0		
	<b>Module 4: Medical</b>			
	Medical Emergencies	2.0	Section 4/Chapter 10	
	Poisoning and Substance Abuse	2.0	Section 4/Chapter 11	
	Behavioral Emergencies	2.0	Section 4/Chapter 12	
	Environmental Emergencies	2.0	Section 4/Chapter 13	
	Practical Skills Lab: Medical	2.0		
	<b>Module 5: Trauma</b>			
	Bleeding, Shock and Soft Tissue Injuries	2.0	Section 5/Chapter 14	
	Injuries to Muscles and Bones	2.0	Section 5/Chapter 15	
	Practical Skills Lab: Trauma	2.0		
	<b>Module 6: Special Patient Populations</b>			
	Childbirth	2.0	Section 6/Chapter 16	
	Pediatric Emergencies	2.0	Section 6/Chapter 17	
	Geriatric Emergencies	1.0	Section 6/Chapter 18	
	Practical Skills Lab: Childbirth	1.0		

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	<b>Module 7: EMS Operations</b>			
	Transport Operations	2.0	Section 7/Chapter 19	
	Vehicle Extrication and Special Rescue	1.0	Section 7/Chapter 20	
	<b>Additional Material</b>			
	Hazardous Materials Awareness	4.0	Supplemental Material	
	Incident Management	2.5	Section 7/Chapter 21	
	EMS Response to Terrorism	1.0	Section 7/Chapter 21	
	Mass Casualty Incidents	6.0	Supplemental Material	
	Course Review	3.0		
	Practical Skills Lab	4.0		
		72 hours		